# FINAL MUSICALE OF WOMAN'S CLUB

Unusually Attractive Programme Will Characterize Last Entertainment of Season.

### HOLD ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Eastern Education Association Meets in Mechanics' Institute Auditorium This Week.

### Song of the Orchard.

We stand beneath the flowering almond

The lingering sunset stains the sky And through the slender stems my spirit

The crimson splendor of the wings of

Beloved, greet me solftly, lest you wake Some dreaming bird within his leafy

house;
Beloved, hold me lightly, lest you break
A single blossom from the almond

I came by where the wood and orchard meet,
And all along the road the flowers grew;
I dared not hasten, lest with careless feet
I took a life, who find my life in you.

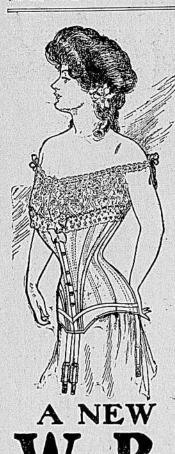
Beloved, I forget the weeping rain,
The cruel hunting song the East Wind sings;
[lift my eyes, and in your eyes again
I see the purple shadow of Love's wings.

-Westminster Gazette.

#### The Woman's Club.

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The final musicale of the club for the senson will be given at \$30 o'clock on the evening of May 8th, and it promises to be a treat for its members. The Instrumentalists who appeared in November and the vocalists who tendered the February programme will be merged into one grand combination, and the result, judging from the past, will doubtless be a glorious, attractive and satisfying climax to the club's musical season of 1904-05. Among the new faces who will appear as soloists are Mr. Morton, tenor; Mr. Lohman, basso, and Miss Margaret Poole Pyle, of Baltimore, a charming violinist, who visits Richmon'd under the auspices of the Peabody Conservatory of Music. The personnel of those talting part on Monday evening is as follows; Mossrs, John Powell and Shepherd Webb, conductors; Miss Mamle Harrison and Mrs. Conway Gordon, sopranos; Messrs. Conway Gordon, sopranos; Wessrs. James Whittet and Hudson Hoen, second violins; Mr. J. Fred Jurgen and Dr. A. G. Hoen, violas, and



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MRS. ROBERT BRYDON, JR. Mrs. Brydon was formerly Miss Olive P. Guorrant, daughter of Mr. J. B. Guerrant, of Danville, Va., her marriage to Mr. Brydon taking place in Mount Vernon, Methodist Episcopal Church, Danville, on Wed-

Overture, "Merry Wives of Windsor," Nicolai. Orchestra.

and whose brilliant performances are well known here and have been received with acclaim wherever he has been heard, has drilled and perfected a cast and chorus in the opera mentioned.

For many reasons the work can only be presented in cantata form at presentiat is, with the music alone, and without costumes and accessories.

Through the liberality of Mr. Powell and associates, La Cavalleria will be presented on Thursday, May 18th, in the Masonic Temple, for the benefit of the Rosemary Library. Those who have heard the rehearsals are unstinted in their praise of all parties concerned. The soprano part will be sung by Miss Belle Powell, the contraite by Miss Louise Crutchfield, the tenor by Mr. Canepa and the basso by Mr. Pierce Brent.

An admirably drilled chorus and the Philharmonic Orchestra, enlarged, the whole under the direction of Mr. Powell. It is not often that the community has an opportunity to enjoy home talent in one direction and to encourage literary taste as well.

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Saturday, May 13th, at 5 P. M., will be
a notable occasion in the history of the
Confederate Maseum, Dr. Allard Memminger will prepare to the Confederate Maseum. Confederate Museum. Dr. Allard Memminger will present to the Confederate Memorial Literary Society a portrait of his father, the Hon. C. G. Memminger, Secretary of the Treasury of the Confederate States.

Dr. Memminger will also read a letter from Mr. Stephen Mallory, of Florida, presenting a portrait of his father, the Hon, Stephen Mallory, Secretary of the Navy of the Confederate States.

A portrait of the Postmastor-General of the Confederacy, Judge Reagan, of Texas, will also be presented.

Thus will the valuable collection of the museum be enriched by memorials of three distinguished members of the cabinet of President Davis.

Weingarten Bros. Makers Mrs. Claiborne's Guests.
Dr. Allard Memminger will arrive in Richmond May 10th to remain during the

Messrs. Victor Thurston and Ernest A. Hoen, violencellos.

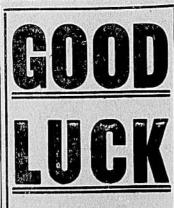
THE PROGRAMME.

Week as the guest of Mrs. Herbert A. Claiborne, the vice-regent of the South Carolina room, in the Confederate Mu-

Mrs. Clathorne will also have as her Mrs. Chaporne will also have as her guests Mr. and Mrs. John M. Holcombe, of Hartford, Conn.; Dr. and Mrs. Thos. M. Chaiard, of Washington, D. C., and Dr. and Mrs. Albert Tuttle, of the University of Virginia.

Annual Meeting of H. M. A. The annual meeting of Hollywood Memorial Association was held Friday in the chapel of Second Presbyteriaa Church, with Mrs. J. Taylor Ellyson in

"That we extend our tracs symptom, to his wife and children and family, and mingle our tears with theirs, as we commend them to the God of all comfort and the Father of all mercy, "That we request a opy of these reso-



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lutions to be sent them, to be placed upon the records of the association, and to be published in the daily papers."

Annual Conference.

The Richmond Education Association has sent out invitations for the eighth conference of Eastern Education Asso-ciations, to be held in Mechanics' Insti-tute, corner of Broad and Eleventh Streets.

Streets.

The conference, holding its first session May 9th at 8 P. M., will have a preliminary business meeting at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon in the Supreme Court room, and a reception at 5 o'clock in the portrait gallery of the State Library.

The names of delegates and their hosts

Tuesday afternoon in the Suprains Gover, room, aid a reception at 5 o'clock in the portrait gallery of the State Library.

The names of delegates and their hosts are as follows:

Mr. A. T. Richards, with Mrs. Otway Allen; Miss Laura D. Gill and Mrs. Mary S. Woolman, with Mr. J. P. Branch, Mrs. Sloussat, with Dr. F. W. Boatwright; Mrs. E. E. Williamson, with Mrs. A. B. Blair; Mr. George I. Aldrich, with Mr. J. Scott Parrish; Mr. Henry T. Bailey, with Mrs. B. B. Munford; Mrs. Sanford Bissell, with Mrs. Portlaux Robinson; Mrs. Fandle E. Bates, with Mrs. Cy V. Meredith; Mrs. Joseph P. Munford, with Mrs. J. D. Grump; Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, with Mrs. George R. Cannon; Misses Margaret King and Ellen Taylor, with Mrs. P. L. Conquest; Mrs. W. E. D. Scott, with Mrs. L. R. Dashlell; Mrs. J. W. Clinton and Mrs. A. J. George, with Bishop R. A. Gibson; Miss F. A. Dean, with Mr J. P. Kennedy, Mrs. A. M. Dodge, with Mrs. G. R. Cannon; Mrs. D. Miller, with Mrs. W. E. Evans; Mr. and Mrs. Gillaudeu. with Mrs. O. H. Funsten; Miss Folsom and Miss Gowans, with Dr. Semmes; Miss L. D. Gill, with Mr. J. P. Branch; Mr. B. W. Hill and Dr. J. P. Haney, with Mrs. G. G. Valentine; Mrs. J. J. White and Mrs. M. S. Price, with Mrs. B. B. Munford; Mr. J. C. Mattoon, with Mrs. B. M. Miller; Miss Folsom with Mrs. G. C. Valentine; Mrs. Phillp Yeatman, with F. C. Mitchell; Mrs. Phillp Yeatman, with F. C. Moodward; Miss Mary T. Mason, with Mrs. R. Carter Scott; Miss Vennie Cox, with Dr. James P. Nelson, of Woman's College, Dr. Bruce Payne, with Mrs. W. S. Gordon; Miss Silverheel, Indian student, guest of Dr. Semmes at St. Androw's Home; Captain C. E. Vawter, with Colonel W. H. Paimer; Dr. and Mrs. Talcott Williams, with Mrs. Joseph E. Willard. Mrs. Van Renssalaer, of New York; Mrs. Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Charles M. Lukens, of Germantown, Pa.; Mrs. John Maxwell, of Norfolk, and Miss

Card of Thanks.

The Masonic Home Auxiliary heartily thanks everyone who assisted in any way the international festival.

The festival was a great success, netting more than three times the amount which the ladies hoped to realize,

Engagement Announced. Mrs. Grace Dunn Goodall announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Katharine Belle Powell, to Mr. J. Mon-trose Graham. The wedding will take place June. 8 at Second Presbyterian Church.

Talk to Patrons.

Miss Peticolas's "talk" to the patrons of her pinto class on Wednesday after-noon at the Woman's Club was listened moon at the Woman's Club was listened to with much interest. The "Pupils Practice Houf" was the subject discussed, and the ladies present were so impressed with the importance of the remarks that Miss Peticolas was requested to repeat several of her illustrations. In future the studio "talks" will form a feature of the class training. Those invited were: Mrs. R. L. Henry, Mrs. R. E. Anderson, Mrs. C. E. Fleming, Mrs. M. L. Gathright, Mrs. O. B. Sydnor, Mrs. P. A Cason, Mrs. V. T. Douglas, Mrs. H. T. West, Mrs. Gusendoffer, Mrs. C. W. Macfarlane, Mrs. R. E. Bruce, Miss L. C. Reeve, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. P. L. Lindsay.

to come to London permanently last winter, but he preferred to remain with his flock in Richmond, and will only fill the London pulpit temporarily. Delightful Entertainment,

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The Circle of the Kcing's Daughters and Sons will give a humorous entertainment in Corcoran Hall Monday evening at £:30 o'clock, in which "Ma Sweet" and her family will make the acquaintance of the Richmond public.

Miss Mamie Williams, Miss Lillian Gentry, Miss Dalsy, Hancock, Miss Annie Gibson, Miss Lula Crump, Miss Grace Schermerhorn, Miss Mabel Dobins and Miss Hattle Miller compose the cast, Mrs. Sallie Montgomery Brown and Captain Frank Gunningham will sing solos, and Miss Felver will rectis.

Dodson—Crouch.

Mrs. Jean F. Crouch, of No. 206 East Main Street, anglounces the engagement of her daughter, Frances Leiper, to Mr. Charles Russell Dodson, of Dauville, Va., the marriago to take place June irst.

Mr. and Mrs. Dodson will leave for Europe June second, Miss Crouch, who is a very attractive and popular girl, will be much missed by her large circle of Richmond friends.

The Kahn Kathan.

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Under the auspices of the art committee of the Richmond Education Association, the "Arcadian" of the University of Virginia will present the new and striking play, "The Kahn Kathan," at the Academy of Music, Friday, May 12th, at 8:30 colock, The full list of patronesses for the evening is here given:

Mrs. Pleasanton Conquest, Mrs. F, W. Scott, Jr., Mrs. A. M. Tyler, Mrs. Charles E. Willis, Mrs. Granville Valentine, Mrs. C. P. Cadot, Mrs. B. B. Yalentine, Mrs. C. P. Cadot, Mrs. B. B. Yalentine, Mrs. C. P. Cadot, Mrs. B. B. Yalentine, Mrs. A. J. Montague, Mrs. Preston Cocke, Mrs. J. Hekey, Mrs. R. T. Milson, Mrs. William Rajlaforro, Mrs. Mrs. A. J. Montague, Mrs. Preston Cocke, Mrs. J. Hekey, Mrs. R. T. Hunter, Mrs. E. T. Robinson, Mrs. J. B. Hunter, Mrs. E. T. Robinson, Mrs. J. B. Paterson, Mrs. C. E. Doyle, Mrs. Brabert Leigh, Mrs. Mason Miller, Mrs. Harry Frazier, Mrs. Henry Harwood, Mrs. Herry Trazier, Mrs. Henry Harwood, Mrs. Herry Greek, Mrs. R. George Warren, Mrs. J. B. T. Ellyson, Mrs. Coleman Wortham Mrs. J. Beate Charlesh, Mrs. George Warren, Mrs. J. B. Paterson, Mrs. C. E. Doyle, Mrs. Exbert Clailborne, Miss Jane Rutherfoord, Mrs. Herry Harwood, Mrs. Edwin Cox, Mrs. Schuy. Herry Harwood, Mrs. Berkeley Williams, Mrs. J. Scott Herry Harwood, Mrs. Edwin Cox, Mrs. Schuy. Herry Harwood, Mrs. Edwin Cox, Mrs. Edwin Cox, Mrs. Schuy. Herry Harwood, Mrs. Edwin Cox, Mrs. Schuy. Herry Harwood, Mrs. Edwin Cox, Mrs. Edwin Cox, Mrs. Schuy. Herry Hary Harwood, Mrs. Edwin Cox, Mrs. Edwin Cox, Mrs. Edwin Cox, Mrs. Schuy. Herry Hary Harwood, Mrs. Herry Har



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skirt, high fancy girdle, with suspenders, plaited frock and frill jacket trimmed in tiny plaitings of self ma-

\$28.50 Russian Blouse Model, black and white Shepherd plaid silk, full shirred shoulders back and front; vest of white silk canvas embroidered in black and green silk; the collar and shoulders outlined with fancy braid, large sleeve with deep cuff, shirred girdle, very full plaited skirt.

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A delightful entertainment was given Tuesday night at the Home for Incurables for the pleasure of the inmates, by

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